STILL UNDECIDED-MAJOR MERRILL'S CHANCES.

[BY TELEGRAPH TO THE TRIBUNE.] Deer Park, Md., Sept. 20 (Special).-It was rather plainly intimated from the President's cottage to-day that Major George S. Merrill was being pushed by members of the G. A. R., and that President Harrison had not asked him to accept the Pension Commissionership. Private Secretary Halford says that outside parties are urging Major Merrill because he happened to be in Washington when Corporal Tanner resigned, and called at the White House, thus giving color to the supposition that the President had sent for him. The appointment cannot be made within thirty days after ex-Commissioner Tanner's resignation, and the anuncement comes from the President himself that he end to hurry the appointment. It is an important affair and one which he will take time to

important affair and one which he will take time to consider should Major Warner positively decline the place. That, it is asserted, Major Warner has not done, saying as late as Thursday to a friend of the President that he had not yet made up his mind. Socretary Noble and Major Warner came from Washington to-night, and went at once to the President's cottage. Secretary Noble came at the President's request. At a late hour they are still in conference with President Harrison. They are making a complete canvass of the situation, and alsousing candidates. Major Warner is still undecided. He starts for Kansas City to-morrow morning.

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Washington, Sept. 20 (Special).—Officials of the Interior Department do not think that the President has yet abandoned the hope that Major Warner will accept the Commissionership of Peusions, although he has assured secretary Noble that his declination is final and irrevocable. One of them to-day said that he did not believe that the office had yet been officed to Major Merrill, or that it wound be before another conference between Major Warner and the President, which is expected to take pince to-night. The Tribune correspondent to-day received an intimation from a well-informed official that, with Major Warner out of the question, Judge Rea, of Minnesota, stood an even chance of being appointed Mr. Tanner's successor.

"The Star' to-night says: "Major Warner certainly has no intention now of accepting the Commissionership. He is not a talker, but he gives it to be understood, as well as he can, that he is fixed in his determination. 'I am going home this afternoon, he said to a 'Star' reporter to-day.

"Are you not going to Deer Park?"
"I am going home. I can't go home without going through Deer Park; but, I tell you, I am going home.

"Then this is final?" asked the reporter.

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"That, absolutely final, as far as I am concerned,"
the reply, which conveyed more in significance
in in direct assertion."

THE CUSTOM HOUSE SITE.

VIEWS EXPRESSED BY CHESTER A. ARTHUR WHEN HE WAS COLLECTOR OF THE PORT. The following letter from the late President Arthur, written in 1873, when he was Collector of the Port, is of interest at this time, as bearing on the question of scienting Bowling Green as the proper site for the new Custom House. It was addressed to the then Secretary of the Treasury:

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Custom House, New-York,
Collector's Onice, New-York,
Dear Sir: In obecalence to your request, per letter dated 17th ultimo, I have made inquiries in relation to the value of the present Custom House and the probable cost of obtaining land for a new made adapted to and commensurate with the future of New-York as a great port of entry.

In seeking for a suitable site, the question that first presents itself is what buildings connected with the customs revenue it would be advisable to embrace either under the same roof or in immediate contiguity to the Custom House. These, I think, shound be the Appraiser's Store, and a public store for the receipt of unclaimed or general order merchandise.

but I am informed that the Government has some-times, with the authority of Congress, exercised its sovereign right over the domain by taking for public surposes, property at an appraised valuation, which course might be resorted to if found necessary. If a knowledge that the Government desired any par-ticular site should become public, it would, of course, ruhance the pretensions of the owners thereof. I am, very respectfully and truly voors. C. A. AETHUE, Collector. The Hon. William A. Richardson.

Even as early as sixteen years ago the action of Secretary Windom had the indorsement of the late

President Arthur, who was compelent to speak on the subject. It is suggested that this letter and other testimony largely guided Mr. Windom in his action restimony largely guided Mr. Windom in his action. The Act of Congress authorized the selection of a site for the Custom House and the Appraiser's Stores, and required the two to be in the vicinity of each office. The Custom House is by far the more inpurant of the two buildings. If Secretary Windom had selected an uptown site for the Appraiser's Stores, under the law he would have been required to put the Custom House in the vicinity of it, and every one will agree that there is no place uptown so suitable for the Custom House as the Bowling Green site. In the discussion of the question the Custom House seems to have been loss sight of, although by far the more important. The selection of Bowling Green, conceded to be the best site for the Custom House, would necessarily force the Appraiser's Stores downtown. It would not have done to have selected the Appraiser's Stores proton and force the Custom House to follow. eres uptown and force the Custom House to follow.

BLUE AND GRAY AT CHICKAMAUGA.

OVER 25 000 PEOPLE AT THE REUNION ON THE OLD BATTLE-GROUND-A PERMANENT

ORGANIZATION FORMED. Chattaneoga, Tenn., Sept. 20.-To-day was florious climax to the reunion of the Army of the umberland, and Chattanooga has acquitted herself with the highest honor. The grand barbecue and permanent organization of the Chickamanga Memorial Association took place at Crawtish Springs, on the edge of the famous battlefield of Chickamauga. 23,000 people were on the grounds. The blue and gray were there together. At 11 o'clock Governor John B. Gordon, of Georgia, made the address of Governor Gordon spoke eloquently extending the hospitalities of the South to " the brave and generous of each a my and of every section." After a glowing description of true ourage, he said: "To you, General Rosecrans, and he soldiers of the Army of the Cumberland, I come

with a soldier's greeting on my lips and a soldier's ympathy in my heart. Speaking of those whom I an called to represent, I pledge their earnest cooperation in the sacred mission which convenes you, and in all things which pertain to the peace, welfare and unity of the American people. In their name, I proclaim their sternal fealty to the American Constitution, which is their protecting shield, to the American Republic, which is the joint work of the Fathers' hands, to the American Union of States, from which they drew for their safety, but which, now that the causes of dissensions are gone, they will loyally and bravely defend, for their future protection." The speaker closed with an earnest appeal to both North and South

to bury deep the passions evoked by the war. The address of welcome was responded to by General W. S. Rosecrans, who was visibly affected by the eloquent and patriotic language of Governor Gordon and spoke most feelingly of the grand sight the scene presented, old Confederate and Federal soldiers sitting side by side and engaging in pleasant friendly con-verse, and he prayed God the day would soon come when the last vestige of feeling over the war would be availed

eradicated.

After some further addresses, the permanent orChickamanga Memoriai Asso-After some further addresses, the permanent organization of the Chickamauga Memoriai Assoclation was formed. General Henry M. Cist, of
Cincinnati, was elected temporary chairman, and
fusior Edward F. Manning secretary. The following
blicers were elected for a term of four years: Presitent, General J. T. Wilder, of Tennessee; vice-presitent, General Joseph Wheeler, of Alabama; secretary, General Joseph Wheeler, of St. Louis, and
board of twenty-eight directors, half from the Union
tide and half from the Confederate side.

William K. Vanderbilt's steam yacht Alva arrived at Stapleton, S. I., last evening from Rhinebeck on the Hudson. She will sail in a few days on an ex-

REPUBLICAN PRIMARIES.

A GRATIFYING DEGREE OF HARMONY.

O'BRIEN'S FOLLOWERS MAKE TROUBLE IN THE VIIITH-NAMES OF THE DELEGATES

AND ALTERNATES.

The Republican primary elections which were held yesterday in the several Assembly Districts of this city for delegates to the State Convention at Saratoga on Wednesday were conducted gratifying harmony. The result in every district was really known in advance of the opening of polls, for there were no contests, except in VIIIth District, all factional feeling having disappeared in the desire to agree upon a thoroughly worthy representation in the State Convention of the Republican party of New-York city. The name of many well-known and popular Republicans will be found in the lists of delegates and alternates, Among those who have been chosen to sit in the counci's of the party next Wednesday are cx-Governor Cornell, ex-senator Platt, Cornellus N. Bliss Colonel S. V. R. Cruger, Police Justice Taintor, Philip Van Wyck, William Wadorf Astor, Stephen W. Roach, ex-Judge Gedney, John F. Plummer, Colonel Elliott F. Shepard, William Brookfield, Gen eral J. C. Jackson, Colonel Henry C. Periey, Porice Justices Patterson and Smith, S. Burdett Hyatt. ex-Coroner Nugent, ex-Collector Friedsam, Sheridan Shook, Assemblyman Gibbs, Bernard Eiglin, W. H. Bellamy, ex-Coroner Eldmann, John W. Jacobus, John Collins, William H. Townley, George W. Wanmaker

and other familiar names.

In the VIIIth District the poils of the committee which has had in charge the reorganization of the district under the direction of the County Committee were guarded by a strong detachment of police, and admission to the polling place at No. 240 Broomest. was by ticket only. Before the polls were opened John E. Brodsky appeared and announced the pur. pose of the O'Brien men to contest the election. Brocky produced a written authorization of the candidates for deregates on the O'Brien ticket and de manded to be admitted as a watcher in accordance with manded to be admitted as a watcher in accordance with the provisions of the Act of the Legislature governing J. Taylor, William J. Resrick, Robert D. Benedict, William J. Resrick, Robert D. Benedict, William J. Resrick, Robert D. Benedict, William H. Beard, Charles H. Buckley, Frank Gray, William primary elections. Mr. Brodsky read the law to Mr. Grasse and the other members of the committee and made an argument to prove that to exclude him would be a violation of the law. The committee took the matter under advisement, and decided that Mr. Brodsky was not such an "elector" as the law contemplated, because his name did not appear upon the district roll as revised by the committee. He could not, therefore, act as a watcher, neither could the persons whom Mr. O'Brien was running for delegates be regarded as candidates for delegates at the election for the same reason, namely, that their names were not upon the revised roll. Chairman Grasse then requested Mr. Frodsky to leave the polling place, and upon his refusal to do so Police Captain Cassidy, who was in command of the squad of police on duty, ejected Mr. Brodsky at the request of Mr. Grasse though without violence. Ex-Coroner Nugent, one of the committee, was understood to dissent from the committee's view of the law.

The O'Brien men, at 3 p. m., established polls of their own in the hallway of the designated place of election and kept them open during the time pre-scribed by the call. There was considerable excitement in the neighborhood and a crowd occupied the street in front of the two polls from nightfall until they were closed, but the peace was not broken except in one case, when a settle occurred, but no one seemes to have been hurt, although there was plenty of loud and threatening talk about the lines of voters formed.

At the polls under the committee's charge 175 votes were polled-158 for the regular ticket, and 17 for the O'Brien ticket. At the O'Brien polls 767 votes were cast, all for the O'Brien ticket. Certificates of election were given by the committee of reorganization to the delegates and alternates on the "regular" ticket.

The only arrest during the day was made at the instance of Mr. O'Br.en. John H. O'Connor, one of the candidates for delegate on the "regular" ticket, was taken into custody, charged with furnishing to non-members cards of admission, tickets and the names of curolled persons which these non-members should fraudulently personate for the purpose of casing their votes. Mr. O'Connor was taken to the Eldridge-st. police station, where he was afterward released on ball.

The semblance of a contest took place in the XIth District, where Walter Howe and Jacob Simms were voted for against William N. Heag and Edward S. Flow. Messrs. Howe and Simms received 43 and 47 votes respectively, while Messis. Hong and Flow received respectively, 171 and 165 votes.

The delegates and alternates elected in the several districts were as follows: 1st-Delegates, Archibald Hamilton, Matthew Boyle, William Ryan; alternates, Hugo Pesoid, Peter Patten,

Martin H. Healey. Votes, 197. 11d-Delegates, Philip V R. Van Wyck, James P. Hy-

land, Francis McGrane; alternates, Thomas F. Harrington, Frederick Wimmer, jr., Daniel Valente, Votes, 90. IIId-Delegates, Charles N. Tainter, George John F. Baker, James Brangan; alternates. Alexander Halladay, Sterling E. Smith, James Dalton, D. A. Truda. IVth-Delegates, John Collins, William H. Townley Patrick J. O'Brien, Thomas J. Gilroy; alternates, Martin

Melkenbur, Votes, 307. Vth-Delegates, Joseph E. Muhling, Alexander McQueen. Edwin L. Lawrence, Cornelius Donovan; albernates, John M. Foshay, Charles L. Brockmeier, sr., Edward P. Mat-

thews, David Weelfer. Votes, 301.
VIth.—Delegates, Alonzo B. Cornell, Theodore Broadhead. Adam Gernand, John Stebling; alternates, Adam W. deyer, Thomas Daly, Albert W. Baillie, Charles Buermann. VIIth-Delegates, Thomas C. Platt, Whitfield Van Cott,

Alexander McKeever, Henry C. Piercy, Alexander McCelland, Washington Parker; alternates, Edmund R. Gibbons, George Gregory, Gustave Handte, John D. DucZer, Valentine Fink, Thomas B. Francis. Votes, 150. VIIIth (Regular ticket)—Delegates: Gustav A. Schur-

mann, Fritz Seirkern, Jacob Ripp, Morton Britton, William Eppenbach, John H. O'Connor; alternates, John E. Hall, sr., Otto W. Filedner, Charles Holtzman, James William G. Ruhle, Theodore Mitchell, Votes. (O'Brion ticket)-For delegates: John J. O'Brien, Bernard Rourke, Charles Smith, Christian Goetz, Fredrick J. Seelig, John E. Brodsky for alternates,

George W. Johnston, Samuel Engel, August Nowak 1Xth-Delegates, John W. Jacobus, Edmund J. Tins-Axth-Delegates, John W. Jacobus, Edman J. Tandardel, Jeremiah Pamburn, John J. Brown, Washington M. Haddock, Charles E. Hobby: alternates, George M. Clark, William Freeman, Heavy P. Williams, Robert B. Miller, David H. Hunter, Henry F. Proli. Votes, 200. Xth-Delegates, Jacob M. Patterson, Ferdinand Edd.

traubenmuller, William B. Hanson, Emil F. Mackeldry,

mann, Henry C. Betty, Martin Haupt, Jacob Hunsicker: alternates, Anton F. Neusch, Adolph Volgenau, Edward J. Rapp, John Wefss, jr., Lewis Romer. Votes, 423. XIII-Delegates, Cornelius N. Bliss, S. V. B. Cruger, William N. Hong, W. W. Astor, Edward S. Flow; alternates, C. S. Van Renevelaer, James Corrigan, George Hollay, Andrew Peddie, Archie Roberts. Votes, 215. XIIth-Delegates: George Hillard, Stephen W. Roach.

William H. Huber, Charles B. Page; alternates: Edward Platow, Henry Schumscher, Max Altman, David Cahn. XIIIth-Delegates: Clarence W. Meade, John L. Ham-

fiton, John P. Windolph, Adolph Herrmann, Frederick G. Gedney, Frederick S. Gibbs; alternates: James King Duffy, Henry W. Gibson, I. Loewenstein, Henry Hirsch, John S. Gilmore, John M. Curiey. Votes, 389.

XIVth-Delegates: John R. Nugent, William P. Daly, John J. Brady, John S. Phillips: for alternates: Louis H. Beld, Herman L. Schrader, John V. Cosgrove, George eidler, Votos, 257. XVth-Delegates, Sheridan Shook, Robert A. Greacen, William M. Montgomery, William R. Bartley, Joseph F

Beglan, James Curnen; alternates, Jacob Powles, Henry G. Leask, John Kane, Jr., Samuel Williams, Herman Joveshof, Andrew T. Palge. Votes, 175.

XVIII—Delegates, Henry Kropf, John H. Cavanagh, Richard Lush, James Daly; atternates, John S. Eastwood, Frank Schremb, jr., Thomas M. Nugent, William C. Con

Votes, 800. XVIIth-Delegates, Eben Demarest, George W. Wanmaker, Charles A. Flammer, James W. Perry, James Smiler, James L. Hand, Edwin H. Moore; alternates, John Beattie, P. A. Higgins, Rudolph Brenner, S. M. Crandell, Nathaniel Shiverick, Richard Shepard, J. F. C. Black-

Votes, 785. XVIIIth-Delegates: Bereard Biglin, Joseph C. Jackson, Patrick Collina, James V. Logue; alternates, George W. Blunt, John J. Corbett, William W. Williamson, Robert Todd. t Todd. Votes, 273. XIXth-Delegates: John Reisenweber, William H. Bel

lamy, Charles G. Cronin, David Mitchell, Moses G. Byers, Samuel H. Randell, John Carlin, James Otls Heyt, John W. Noble, Hezekiah W. Ronk; alternates; John Gray Boyd, Leopold Leo, Philip Jordan, Edmond E. Lyon, Francis A. Thayer, John J. Clancy, Edward P. Griffin, John V. Gridley, Charles A. Groth, James J. Gaham. Votes, 152.

XXth-Delegates: Selon B. Smith, Charles Whitlock, Jacob Kahn, Michael Goode, Martin J. O'Brien; alternates: Henry C. Perley, Joseph F. Blant, Thomas Foll.
Andrew Klein, Charles B. Koller, Votes, 260.

XXIst-Delegates: John F. Plummer, William Breckfield, William F. Shaffer, Elliott F. Shepard, James A. Bianchard, D. Morgan Hildreth, jr.; alternates: Seth M. Milliken, Richard J. Lewis Lang.

Millikeu, Richard J. Lewis, James Owens, Louis D. Wilson, Harwood R. Pool, William D. Murphy, Votes, 105.

Seiberg; alternates: Alfred G. Nason, John Little, Michael Sherry, Thomas Lusk, Isaac Fromme, John Denohue, Charles Gordon, Adam Machemer. Votes, 375.

XXIIId-Delegates, Frank Raymend, David F. Perter, Henry Grasse, George B. Brown, John J. Sperry, Morris Friedsam, Rollin Tracy, Charles A. Grant, William C. Sherin, and A. P. Eaton for Special County Judge. Friedsin, Rollin Fracy, Charles A. Grain, Reddy, Hiram Becannon, William G. Irving, Stephen Kent; alternates, Howard Spear, Percy D. Adams, William Johnston, Jr., Petor H. McDonald, William Milliam, Edward A. Nichols, Charles S. Hayes, William J. Mollan, Allan A. Irvine, John Ellard, Alfred A. Farley, John A.

Votes, 697. Twenty-fourth Ward-Delegates to the Assembly Distriet Convention: John Osborne, jr., J. H. Ferde Dreschler, John Crawford, J. Prevest Mason, S. D. nls, P. D. Hunter, A. Gowdy, J. McCord, A. Van Nos-trand, C. Schuyler, J. J. Weeks.

DELEGATES ELECTED IN BROOKLYN. GOOD MEN TO REPRESENT THAT CITY IN THE

REPUBLICAN STATE CONVENTION. The eighty-one delegates allotted to Kings County as its increased representation in the State Convention were chosen last evening in Assembly District conventions in Brooklyn. Some of the leading men that Kings County will have any candidate for a place on the State ticket, as Senator O'Connor has declined to have his name presented for State Controller. As now indicated, the present representatives of the party in the State Committee will again be chosen. The delegates in the various Assembly Districts are

I. Franklin H. Woodruff, Stephen V. White, R. H. Lumbeer, jr., B. N. Bovee, jr., B. H. Hoffman, II. James W, Birkett, Michael J. Dady, W. J. Beattie-John N. Fordham, James Lee, John R. Martin,

J. Vandergraw, Edward Sherman, C. W. Swan, J. J. Noonan. V. A. D. Bacen, James Johnston. VI. James H. Butler, Robert M. Johnson, Charles B.

Carl, Albert R. Birth, William Jones. VII. Louis F. Niest, Michael Buchmann, George Essig, William Wels.
VIII. Francis F. Williams, Charles W. Cardwell,

William A. Booth, Theodore Hall, James Boyd, Georga A. Mason, Jonas W. Farrington, Robert Spitzger, Willlam T. Miller. Andrew D. Baird, Frederick W. Wurster, William

H. Leaycraft, Charles H. Small, Charles H. Eussell.
X. John R. Sutton, James Taylor, James Graham W. E. Potter, Erastus Hallam, Charles E. Halliday, Theodore L. Lutken, John R. Goodwin, Philip Zeh, jr. X1. William E. Barry, W. A. Anderson, W. H. Barker, Theodore C. Cocheu, J. R. Allaben, F. H. Mc-Quincy, W. H. Carison, John G. Reifer, H. M. Smith, P. C. Grening, H. R. Hunt, W. D. Pierson, A. G. Perham,

Israel F. Fisher, Adolph Keindl, R. R. Wheeler, Charles B. Jennings, J. Lott Nostrand, Granville W. Harmon, Robert H. Sharkey, John R. Green, John Worth.

REPUBLICAN DELEGATES CHOSEN. PREPARING FOR THE COMING STATE CON-VENTION.

Owego, N. Y., Sept. 20 (Special).-A large and enthusiastic Republican convention for Tioga County was held in Owego to-day. Thomas C, Piatt, George Truman, Frederick E. Lyford, Daniel Johnson, Willfam E. Dorwin and H. S. Finch were elected dele-gates to the State Convention. The delegates to the Senatorial Convention are Howard J. Mead, Eli W. Horton and C. F. Barager.

Cooperstown, N. Y., Sept. 20 (Special).-James Looke were selected as delegates to the approaching District, at their convention held here this afternoon. District, at their convention held here this afternoon.
Frank B. Arnoid, who desires the renomination for
State Senator, obtained the privilege of selecting his
own delegates to the Senatorial Convention, and appointed Andrew Davidson, Dr. N. Getman, and C.
M. Bates.

would pit an emit to the controversy, and in many
theres that the prantes would not then trouble the
carrier for the production of the books. The opinion
to concludes: "As the applications in these cases do
not conform to the rules in reference to making a
prima facile showing for the compulsory production
of the books, papers and documents, either as against

Syracuse, Sept. 20 (Special) .- The following delegates have been elected to the Republican State Convention from Onondaga County: IId District-Francis Hendricks, Carroll E. Smith, William H. Gallup, Ezra P. Knapp, Charles H. Peck, John L. Roberts, John Markell and Frank Z. Willcox; Hid District-Charles ST. LOUIS DISAPPOINTED IN THE CORN TRADE. Listman, Charles Hoffman, H. W. Plumb, J. M. Gilbert, I. Henry Dansinger, John A. Ecker, W. W. Cheney. Kingston, N. Y., Sept. 20 (Special).-Sheriff James

tead, Joseph Halleck, M. H. Green, J. L. Jacobs and orthur Wilbur are the men selected to represent the tepublicans of Greene County in the Saratoga Convention.

Watertown, Sept. 20.—In the Hd District Republican Convention of Jefferson County to-day S. Makepeace, E. B. Bulkley, F. D. Pierce V. S. Hubbari, R. Marcy and F. L. Saulway were elected delegates to the State Convention. They were instructed for A. C. Cova for Appellate Index

Coxe for Appellate Judge.

GOVERNOR HILL AT ELMIRA!

PRAISING THE INTERSTATE FAIR - WOMEN RIDERS IN A TEN-MILE RACE.

Elmira, Sept. 20 (Special).-Governor's day, as it was known in the Interstate catalogue, to-day, was generally a success. At 11 a. m. about 25,000 people ere present. Shortly after this hour Governor Hill was driven to the grounds, and after a few formalities made a speech of congratulations to the fair officials. the exhibitors and the city. He held an informal reception in the main building and soon afterward returned to the city. He took an afternoon train for Albany.

The rest of the fair programme was carried out notwithstanding drizzling weather. The main feature was the ten-mile race, in which Miss Terwilliger, Miss Franklin and Miss Furley took part, changing horses, saddle became loose and she was thrown violently to saddle became loose and she was thrown violently to the ground. She was painfully hurt, but after a few minutes mounted another horse and continued the race to the end, losing by only one lap. Miss Ter-williger won first money, \$200; Miss Franklin second, Miss Furley third. The other races were well con-tested. Duncan Ross defeated Daly in the horsebark sword contest to-night, after a hard struggle. Daly dealt a blow in the third bout that knocked him senseloss, but he appeared again when the time was called and finally won the battle. Fifteen thousand people were present.

TAMMANY ARRANGING FOR PRIMARIES. The Tammany Hall General Committee met at the ourteenth-st. Wigwam last evening. There was a strong turn-out in spite of the inclement weather denotal John Cochrane, the chairman of the committee presided and ex-Assemblyman John B. McGoldrick and Assistant Corporation Counsel Cowen acted as secre The resignations of James A. Flack and Ambrose Monell as members from the XXth Assembly District were accepted, and it was announced that Richard J. Mahoney had been elected to membership in place of Sheriff Flack, and Morris H. Hyman in place of Civil Justice Monell-

The call for the primary elections and for the everal conventions, with the dates and polling-places blank, was adopted and referred to the Executive In blank, was adopted and referred to the Executive Committee for completion. The dates will not be fixed until after the State Convention has met.

Resolutions enlogistic of the character and services of Congressman Cox were presented by the Committee on Resolutions, Justice Peter Mitchell, Collector L. L. Ge gor ch and Congressman F. T. Fluxpatrick, Speeches paying hearly tribute to Mr. Cox's memory were made by senator Jacob A. Cantor, Thomas C. T. Crain, Mayor Grant's secretary; General Daniel E. Sckles. Assemblyman George F. Reesch and Julius Harburger and the resolutions were adopted by a rising vote.

DEMOCRATS CHOOSE REPRESENTATIVES. The County Demorcacy organization held primary lections last night in the different election districts. when delegates were chosen to Assembly District Cor ventions, which will meet next week to elect delegates and alternates to the Democratic State Convention which meets at Syracuse October 1. Among the del gates elected last night were M. C. Murphy, Thomas P. Walsh, Daniel O'Reilly, Charles Reilly, Michael 3 Sharkey, Timothy J. Campbell, Nathan S. Levy, John P. Voorbis, George W. McLean, William P. Mitchell, James Daly, Thomas Costgan, James Pitzgeraid, D. Lowber Smith, Henry C. Hart and William Cauldwell.

MR. VAN VOORHIS FOR ATTORNEY.GENERAL. Rochester, Sept. 20 (Special),-It is again given out here that John Van Voorhis is a candidate for Attorney-General on the Republican State ticket. A prominent Republican politician states that he is now in the White Mountains, but will be on hand when the convention opens. Mr. Van Voorhis was formerly Congressmen from this district.

NOMINATIONS FOR THE ASSEMBLY ..

Watertown, N. Y., Sept. 20 (Special).—Isaac Mitchell, of Oricans, was nominated for the Assembly in the Hd District of Jefferson County to-day on the thirty-third ballot, A. C. Comstock, the present Assemblyman, was a candidate for renomination, and had fifteen votes all through the balloting until after the thirty-XXIId-Delegates: Lawrence J. Dunn, Christian Kam-merer, Ambrose Neal, John C. Graham, S. Burdett Hyatt, Charles F. Valentine, Edmond J. Palmer, M. D. Charles | was withdrawn. Mitchell received 26 Votes, Edward

Sheriff, and A. P. Eaton for Special County Judge. Syracuse, N. Y., Sept. 20 (Special).-The Republicase of the 1st and 1Id Assembly districts of Onondaga County nominated candidates for members of Assembly tokiny. The 1st District convention nominated Howard Gamson White, proprietor and Editor of "The Syncuse Standard." The IId District convention nominated ex-Mayor Willis B. Burns, of Syra

DEMOCRATS GETTING READY FOR THE FIGHT. Democratic primaries were held in all the wards of Brooklyn last evening to elect delegates to the Assembly District Conventions, which meet on Tuesday evening, to elect delegates to the Syracuse Conven

The new Hudson County Democratic Committee held a meeting in Jersey City last night and decided to hold primaries on October 2, for the election of delegates to the County Convention. The new committee represents the opposition to the regular Democratic machine. A proposition to inderse Leon Abbeit for Governor was vigorously opposed, and it was determined to postpope action until after Abbett's letter of acceptance is made public.

The Democrats of the Hd Assembly District of Westchester County beid a convention at Portchester yesterday to elect delegates to the State Senatorial and Judiciacy Conventions. R. Frank Downing, of Eye, John Duffy, of White Plains, and Daniel Hickey of Eastchester were elected delegates to the State convenion, with authority to fil vacaccies. Michael J. Dillon, of New-Rochelle, Robert Blake, of North Castie, William H. Lange, of Mamaroneck, William Young, of Rye, and Frank Watts, of Eastchester, were chosen delegates to the state convention, and M. J. Keogh, of New-Rochelle, delegate to the Judiciary Convention, with instructions to favor the renomination of Justice J. C. Dykman as Justice of the Supreme Court.

RAILROAD INTERESTS.

DENYING GEORGE RICE'S APPLICATION. HIS PETITION FOR THE PRODUCTION OF BOOKS

OF OIL-CARRIERS NOT IN PROPER FORM.

St. Louis, Sept. 20.-Judge Schoonmaker, Judge

Bragg and Judge Vensey, of the Interstate Commerce Commission, have been in St. Louis the last few days and will leave here for Kansas City to-morrow, where they have several cases to hear. From there they go to Chicago and thence back to Washington. In an opinion rendered by Commissioner Bragg, on application for subpoents duces tecum for the production of books, contracts, vouchers, accounts and papers in the suit of George Rice against various Western railreads, oil companies, etc., that gentleman laid down the rules to be observed in such cases, stating that the commission is governed by the provisions of the act to regulate commerce and the objects and purposes of this statute, but in in the courts of the United States, as well as the which seem to be most nearly analogous to pro-ceedings in which such application to the commission is made. He adds that adds that much unnecessary controversy, inconvenience and deas in subsequent stages of proceedings, if earliers would exhibit without technical objection what their books show in reference to a transaction in question, Stone, William A. Smith, John T. Sawyer, Lucien to any one who calls for the information in good faith; believing, perhaps erroneously, that it is, or may be, important to his interests and when the Bunyan, W. E. Dante, James O. Beach and L. Clarke application is seasonably and properly made, with a Looke were selected as delegates to the approaching state Convention by the Republicans of the 1st Otseys or officers; and the instances are numerous in which it of the books, papers and documents, either as aga the defendant carrier, or those who are strain to these proceedings, the relief, it seems, cannot be granted, and for the present must be denied, this does not preclude the petitioner from renow his application, provided in doing so he conforms the rules indicated."

St. Louis, Sept. 20 (Special).-The grain war tween St. Louis and Chicago has broken out with all its old bitterness. The grain receivers here allege that the railroads which carry the Northwestern corn to Chicago have been violating all agreements and ignoring the tariff for the purpose of discriminating against St. Louis. Both St. Louis and Chicago have Chicago, so far as the price is concerned.

ides all the advantage of short haul and a quick re turn, gave them an advantage of one-eighth cent delayed in order to have him testify. bove Chicago. Still the corn continued to go to Chicago, and when the St. Louis merchants began to inquire they found that Chicago was still bidding about 11-2 cents above their increased bid. could be only one conclusion, that the railroads were | davit made in Ludlow Street Jail, but he did not get could be only one conclusion, that the railroads were giving Chicago a cut sufficiently large to overcome the st. Louis differentials. General Grier went to see the Missouri Facilic and Wabash officials, and the Etevator Company appointed Hugh Rogers and Captain D. P. Slattery a committee to call upon these two roads and hay the matter before them. The two roads and hay the matter before them. The Missouri Pacific and Wabash are ready to make the first for Sr. Louis, and it is not improbable that they will amounce a reduced rate within the next twentynce a reduced rate within the next twenty-

CONTEST OF THE ERIE AND JERSEY CENTRAL. Pittston, Penn., Sept. 20 (Special).—The Eric road issued orders to-day for the erection of watchmen's shantles along the line of their branch coal line to the Hillside anthracite breaker, near Laffin, Penn. Seeing a chance to divide the business, the Central Railroad of New-Jersey a few months ago decided to enter a competing branch. The Eric people immediately secured a restraining injunction, when the matter came up before Judge Woodward in the Luzerne County He dissolved the injunction on the ground that the Eric Company had no right to stop the work. Notwithstanding this decision, the Eric is still determined to keep the field to itself and the order of today means that armed watchmen will be stationed in the shantles all winter with instructions to prevent the Jersey Central from crossing the Eric property at any point. Insamuch as the Jersey Central folks say they will go right on, watchmen or no watchmen, the situation is full of possibilities.

THREE NEW RAILROADS INCORPORATED. Springfielt, Ill., Sept. 20 (Special).—Articles of in-corporation of the Calumet and Blue Island Railway Company, the Joliet and Blue Island, and the Chicago and Kenesaw, were filed to-day in the office of the Secretary of State. The capital stock of the first is \$200,000; and of each of the others, \$100,000. The principal offices of each road are to be at Chicago, and the same men are the incorporators and first board of directors of each road, namely; Adam A. Goodrich, of Jerseyville; Frank H. McCarloch, Frank H. Bowen, Harry P. Young and James C. Rutchins, of Chicago.

PASSING THE TICKLISH QUESTION ALONG. The Executive Committee of the Trutk Line Freight State Fair has been on the whole poorly attended be-Association met yesterday to consider the offer of cause of the bad weather, it has been a decided sucthe Chicago, Burilizton and Northern, make all-rall through pro-rates with Eastern refrom New-York to St. Paul. After some discussion, the matter was referred to the Board of Trunk Line Presidents, which will meet some time next week to

THE WEATHER REPORT.

FORECAST TILL S P. M. SATURDAY. Washington, Sept. 20.—For New-England, Eastern New-fork, Eastern Pennsylvania and New-Jersey, rain, winds

For Maryland and Delaware, light rain, followed by clearing and fair weather: stationary temperature. For Western New-York and Western Pennsylvania, rain, followed by clearing and fair weather; slightly cooler.

TRIBUNE LOCAL OBSERVATIONS. MOURS: Morning Nicht 12 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 0 10 12 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 0 10 12 1 29.5 Tribune Office, Sept. 21, 1 a. m.-Generally cloudy

weather, an air nearly saturated with vapor, and a very little rain prevailed yesterday. The temperature ranged setween 51 and 64 degrees, the average (58) being 6 lower than the mean of corresponding days for the last eighteen years, and the same as on Thursday.

In and near tots city to-day store will probably be the continees, a little rain, and slight thermal changes. Fair wentarr Sunday. TWO PENSION POLICIES.

THE DEMOCRATIC AND MUGWUMP PRESS ASSAILING THE VETERANS.

INCONSISTENCY OF THE SOLDIER-HATERS-THE ADMINISTRATION'S POLICY IN ACCORDANCE WITH LAW AND LONG PRECEDENT.

IBT TELEGRAPH TO THE TRIBUNE, Washington, Sept. 20.-By this time it must be apparent to everybody that the Democratic and Mugwump newspapers, and the soldier-haters behind them, have entered upon a general crusade against the he Grand Army of the Republic are denounced a conspirators" when they meet to confer respecting the common welfare of the survivors of the Union Army and Navy, and are stigmatized as "paupers," 'mend cants' when they ask that the needy and disabled comrades may be rescued from houses. Tagner was denounced by the soldier-hating press for alleged violations of law; and, as might is now denounced because he adheres to the law. A bogus interview with Major Warner is concected by a Mugwump correspondent, and is made basis of editorial comment. Major Warner promptly denounces the alleged interview as notitious, and twenty-four hours afterward the false interview made to do duty by a paper which claims to be "the

leading Democratic newspaper." The views and policy of the Administration in regard to pensions are studiously and persistently per-verted; and decisions which are based not only upon the plain reading of the law, but upon the highest judicial interpretation of the statute, are denounced s schemes to dissipate the surplus. A recent decision of the Assistant Secretary of the Interior is an example. He decided, in harmony with an opinion delivered by Judge Advocate-General Holt, twentyone years ago, that an applicant for pension who proves disability contracted in the service in the line of duty, cannot be debarred from the benealt of the pension laws by the fact that he was subsequently dishonorably discharged from the service. In that

In the absence of any statutory provision on the subject its in held not to be essential to entitle a person to a military pension that he should have received an honorable discharge as a soldier. The pension is granted on account of dischilty incurred by the party in the line of duty, while in the military service, whelly irrespective of the circumstances, whether home able or dishonerable, under which he may subsequently have become separated from

Judge Holt's opinion in that case was subsequently confirmed by the Supreme Court of the United States, and the practice of the Pension Bureau conformed thereto until 1875, when a Commissioner undertook to overrale it. He was, in turn, promptly overraied by the Secretary of the Interior, and no further question was raised until about two ago. In his recent decision, therefore, General Bussey is sustained by Judge Holt, by the Supreme court of the United States, by an elaborate decision of a former Secretary of the Interior, and by the uniform practice of a quarter of a century, opposed to which s the dictum of General Black or of some muddled subordinate. Whether or not a man who was dishonorably dismissed from the service ought to receive a pension is not the question. Neither the Pension Commissioner nor the Secretary of the Interior can nake or unmake a law—unless be happens to be a Demo-crais—and, as the law stands, the man who incurred a disability in the Army or Navy is entitled to a pension, even if he was subsequently dishonorably disharged. Pensions depend upon disability contracted in acoust survice, not upon the moral character, social status, subsequent good or had military conduct, or any other consideration whatever, of the applicants, provided they were discharged by composent authority and are not borne on the rolls as deserters. If the law is wrong, as many concrably discharged soldiers think it may be, it can be changed by Congress, but by no other power. nake or unmake a law-unless he happens to be a Den

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A WRANGLE IN THE IVES CASE. MR. BROOKE'S TEMPER GOES ASTRAY.

ANOTHER ADJOURNMENT THAT THE PORTER

MAY APPEAR-SOME LIVELY WORDS. Only one short forenoon session was devoted to the Ives case yesterday, but that was in many respects the most remarkable of the whole trial. At the been hidding for corn. Chicago has been getting it and St. Louis has not. The difference between the markets ought to be about 21-8 cents in favor of Recorder Smyth glanced toward it as he asked Mr. Brooke, "Are you ready?" Mr. Brooke's reply was The Republicans of Suffolk County held a convention yesterday in the Court House at Riverhead to nomine a delegates to the Republican State Convention, the following delegates were chosen: S. S. Hawkins, H. E. Huntting, William H. Skilimore, Richard Highle, Jesse G. Case, Eugene R. Smith, Walter H. Jaycox and James H. Pierson. Alternates—H. H. Benjamin, E. A. Carpenter, Theodore Hall, E. R. Hawkins, A. B. Goldsnith, Christopher Rehert, Walter H. Suydam and Erastus F. Post.

Markets ought to demand that Julius Dexter should be brought to the bar of the court. The percent of the car in which the bar of the court. The percent of the car in which the bar of the court. The percent of the car in which the bar of the court. The percent at Relyidere, N. J., Monday. RAYMOND—A REFlore. RAYMOND—A REFlore. RAYMOND—A REFlore. System and an advantage of about two cents over Chicago in completing in the Northwest. Still Chicago continued to the bar of the court. The percent of the car in which the bar of the court. The percent of the court. The percent of the court. The percent of the car in which the bar of the court. The percent of the court. The percent of the car in which the bar of the court. The percent of the car in which the bar of the court. The percent of the court. The percent of the court. The percent of the car in which the bar of the court. The percent of the court. The perc

"The affidavit can be prepared in three minutes, said Mr. Brooke gloomly. It was prepared and It was prepared and Mr. Brooke called Mr. Cooke to the stand. Mr. Cooke knows something about the Woodruff affia chance to testify. The Recorder suggested that Mr. Brooke had said nothing about this witness when he asked for an adjournment. Mr. Brooke immediately withdrew him.

Mr. Johnson was recalled and testified that he had seen the Neyer agreement in the possession of Ives Iast Christmas. Woodruif had said that Ives had forged the initials of Meyer to the paper in January. Then there was a hitch. After some consultation Mr. Brooke asked that the case be again adjourned until Saturday morning in order that Wilson, the missing porter, might be called.

"Colonel Fellows, will you furnish the porter for You furnished short and the others," remarked Mr. Brooks. "They are in your employment. Mr. Brooke. "They are in your employment. They are your creatures. They are in the employ of the Cheinnati, Hamilton and Dayton road."

"Don't wrangle over so absurd a proposition." said the Recorder when Colonel Fellows began to reply to this accusation.

The Recorder reminded the jury of the exact reason why Mr. Brooke had asked for delay. At one point Mr. Brooke interrupted him, exclaiming, "Counsel made no such scatement."

"If you repeat such a thing again," said the Recorder, sternly, "Fil commit you!"

"Your Honor has no right to threaten me," was the reply.

the reply. "One moment, sir! Take your seat," said the Record Mr.

fr. Brooke continued standing.

Take your seat, sir. It will be for your own L's repeated the Court, and the lawyer rejuctantly obeyed. Golonel Fellows asked that the case, if adjourned of Golonel Fellows asked that the case, if adjourned at all, should be adjourned to Monday merning. To this the Recorder finally agreed. When Mr. Brooke left the court room he repeated to a group of reporters his sta ement that Ives was the victim of a conspiracy conocceted by the Meyer estate people, Russell Sage, Sidney Dillon and others.

THE CONNECTICUT STATE FAIR.

A FINE EXHIBITION SPOILED BY WEATHER-PRIZES TO COMPETING GRANGES AWARDED. Meriden, Conn., Sept. 20 (Special).-Though the

State Fair has been on the whole poorly attended be-

The track was in fairly good condition by 1 o'clock to-day, and an attempt was made to run off some of the races that had been scheduled for previous days. The interest centred, however, in the special nonprofessional race, in which a lot of State trotters

ers driven by their owners. The exposition in the Town Hall of manufactured

articles and fancy work was open each evening and has been well attended. The stage was tastefully becorated with cut and pottot plants and flowers, and an excellent orchestra furnished music. chief exhibits are from the factories of the Meriden Britannia Company, who show electroplated goods of exquisite design and finish; Bradley, Hubbard & Co., rich hamps, candissisis, etc.; "The Meriden Journal," pristing and bookbinding; Wicox & White, organs; Edward Miller & Co., the Rochester lamp; the Dometic Sewing Machine Company and Manning, Brown & Co., makers of tables and kiechen-war. The stace in the galley is entirely taken up by exhibits of wamen's ar and fancy work. The range of articles is wide, and some of the prizes announced are these; Hand-huit akirt, first prize, Mrs. J. k. Maithews, of Southington; point lace collar and handkirtelief, first, Mrs. W. H. Wilkinson, Meriden; chenilte needlework quif, first, Mrs. Theodore Felix, Meriden; crochet skirt, first, Mrs. J. L. Burgess, Meriden. of exquisite design and finish; Bradley, Hubbard &

The steamship Deninark, from London and Havre, has on board 162 Norman horses. In cleaning only the blige of the Denmark on her arrival at London the huge nython which had escaped from its cage on the passage to New-York was found under the One of the nicest and best tonics and anti-acids for

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THE LATE STORM ON THE JERSEY COAST.
The storm of last week was one of the most destructive that has been experienced on the coast of
New-Jersey for many years, and caused widespread
destruction between Sandy Hook and Long Branch.
To those who destre to visit the locality, the Central
R. R. of N. J. furnishes ample facilities. On week
days trains Faver New-York from toot Liberty-st.
N. R. at 4, 8-15, 11-15 a. m., 1-30, 3-45 (through
special with parior-car), a-30 and 6-10 p. m., for
Monmouth Beach, Sesbitcht, Normandle, etc. Ecturning leave Normandle at 6-95, 7-14, 8-93 (through
special with parior-car), 10-47 a. m., 1-28, 4-93,
5-13, 7-108 p. m. On Sundays, leave New-York at
4 and 9 a. m. Returning, leave Normandle 7-33
a. m., 4-93, p. m.

EDDY-TUCKERMAN-At Jamestown, N. Y., September 18, by the Rev. Dr. Hiram Eddy, of Canasa, Conn., Farmeri Albern Eddy, of Canasa, Conn., and Jennico, daughter of George S. Tuckerman, esq., of Jamestown, SHERWOOD-SULLIVAN-At Newark, N. J., on Wedness and evening, September 18, 1889, at the residence of the bridge's parents, 53 Nicholest., by the Rev. James Leagest, of Frinceton, E. A. Sherwood to Lizzle A. Sullivan, both of Newark.

Notices of marriages must be indorsed with full

DIED.

ALEXANDRF-At Staten Island, Friday, September 29, of necumonia, Mary Virginia, daughter of J. Harry and Elizaceth Lawrence Alexandre, aged 9 months.
Funeral from restionee, at Staten Island, at 1 o'clock, Sunday, Sentonber 22, Kindly omit flowers.

Funeral services and interment at Saugerties.

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DENIG-At Onkland, Cal., September 16, suddenly, of pneumonia, Rush S. Deutg.
Interment at Cotumbus, Onio.

FITCH-Suddenly, at Reservice, N. J., Wednesday, the ISth inst., Louisa Antoinette, wife of the late Porter Fich, and daughter of the late Cichard Shepard.

Puneral services Saturday, the 21st inst., in the First Pre-byterian Church, Oranga, N. J., on the arrival of the 136 train from Barelay and Christopher Sts.

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GREENOUGH-At Colorado Springs, Wednesday, 18th inst. Arthur T. Greenough, youngest son of the last David S. Greenough, of Boston, in the thirty-second year of his age. HAMILL-On Friday, September 20, at Trenton, N. J., Rev. Samuel M. Hamill, D. D.

HAYWARD-On Thursday morning, September 19, 1880, Sarah J., wife of John N. Hayward, and daughter of the Sarah J., wife of John N. Hayward, and daughter of the late William Tyson.

Funeral from her late residence, 243 East 17th-st. of Saturday, 21st last, at 2 o'clock. Rindly omit flowers.

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JAUKSON-On Weinesday, September 18, at the residence of his son-in-law, John L. Riker, Seabright, N. J., John C. Jackson, of Woodside, L. I., in his Sist year, Pineral services at St. James Church, Newtown, L. I., on Saturday, September 21, at 3:30 p. m. Train leaves Long Island City at 3 o'clock.

JANSSEN-On Thursday, September 19, at his late residence, Richmond Terrace, New-Brighton, Staten Island, Gerhard Janssen, in the 64th year of his age.

The theral services will be hid ab his late residence of Staterday morning, at 10:39.

Interment at Greenwood. Please omit Howers.

LAW-At his father's country residence, Greenwich (com., on Tuessay afternoon, the 17th inst., Archibaid P., son of John S. and Elizabeth S. Law.

Belatives and friends are respectfully invited to attend the funeral services at Greenwich on Saturday, the 21st inst. at 11 a. in.

Interment private.

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MORRIS—On September 20, 1889, Gertrude V. Johnston, wife of T. F. Morris, M. D.
Funeral service at late residence, 301 Varick-st, Jersey City, Sunday, at 4 p. D.
Interment at Belvidere, N. J., Monday.

RHETT—At Morristown, New-Jer'ey, on the 19th instant, Eliza Haseles, daughter of the late William S. and Caroline Frankin Hastle, of Charleston, S. C., and wife of W. Haskell Rhett, of New-York.
Funeral services will take place from St. Peter's Church, Morristown, at 11 o'clock a. m. on Saturday, 21st Inst., Trains leave from Barellay and Christopher st. ferries at 9:10 a. m.; returning, leave Morristown at 1:15 p. m. ROBGERS—On Thursday morning, 10th inst., Zaidle H. wife of James H. Robgers.
Funeral services at private froms in the Coleman House on Sunday, the 22d inst., at 1 o'clock p. m., ladies' en trance, 27 West 27th-st.
Relatives and friends invited to attend.
VAIL—Suddenly, at Saratoga Springs, N. Y., on Wednesday September 13, 1889, M. M. Vall, of New-York.
Relative and friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend his funeral from his late residence, 151 East of the things of the family are respectfully invited to attend his funeral from his late residence, 151 East clist-st., on Monlay, September 23, at 2 o'clock p. m.
Fleesse omit flowers.
WILLIAMS.—Suddenly, at Riverhead, L. I., September 15, Richard Williams, late of Brooklyn, in the 75th year of his age.
Convexances will be in waiting at entrance to Greenwood

es will be in waiting at entrance to Greenwood day morning as 11:30 o'clock.

Special Notices.

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eat Literature, Engravings, &c. WEDNESDAY and THURSDAY, at 3 p. 1 A COLLECTION OF CHOICE AND SCARCE BOOKS, English and French, old and new Americana and American Publications, Handsomely Illustrated Works, and facluding many interesting and valuable books.

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The New-York Association for Improving the Condition of the Poor.—This old Association is an Aid Society devoted to the elevation of the home life of the poor and the judicious relief of their necessities without regard to race, color, creed or nationally. All cases of want receive most carsul treatment. The Society grants general relief and has well-equipped sanitary, setting and fresh air departments. It has just opened as Harlem branch. President, John Paton; Treasurer, R. B. Mittuen, 45 Williamst, Chim'n Com. of Ways and Neans, R. Fulton Cutting; Chim'n Finance Com., James A. Scrymser; General Agent, P. S. Longworth, 79 4th-ave.

State Fair has been on the whole poorly attended because of the bad weather, it has been a decided success in other respects and reflects great credit on the management and on the host of enterprising exhibitors. The attendance yesterday reached about 5,000, one-half the number that has usually attended on a corresponding day when the weather has been pleasant. But all visitors agreed that the fair was better than ever before. To-day, although the weather was flux, the attendance was small because the people were secution as to the anties the south wind might play before the day was out. For to-morrow, the closing day, the management was led to expect a sufficient attendance to partly make up for losses thus far, but appearances to night are that it will be another wet day. As the expenses reach about \$12,000, the losses, it is feared, will be considerable.

The prizes awarded to the various granges for their exhibit were as follows: Wailingford, \$50; Meridon, \$40; Middletown, \$25; North Haven, \$25; Berlin, \$20; Midd efield, \$13; Westfield, \$10. It was generally expected that the Meriden Grange would win the first prize on account of the morit of its exhibit, and also because of the attractive manner in which it was presented, and its friends entered a protest to-day against the finding of the judges.

In the Gun Club tournament, the championship was won by Messrs, Sherman and Savage, of New-Haven, each of whom made 46 out of a possible 50. They both refused to shoot to break the its. Mr. Avery, of Meriden, won second place.

The track was in fairly good condition by 1 o'clock to-day, and an attempt was made to run off some of tho-day, and an attempt was made to run off some of the day, and an attempt was made to run off some of the day, and an attempt was made to run off some of the day, and an attempt was made to run off some of the day and an attempt was made to run off some of the schedule of elosing of Trans-Pacific malis and the first uninterrupted overtant to the prize of the college of the schedule of e Post Office Notice. (Should be read daily by all interested, as changes may

steamer, via Key West, Pla., close at this once using 2.30 a. m.

The schedule of closing of Trans-Pacific mails is arranged on the presumption of their uninterrupted overland transit to San Francisco. Mails from the East arriving on time at San Francisco en tae day of salling of steamers are dispatched thence the same day. Registered mail closes at 6.30 p. m. previous day.

Post Office, New-York, N. Y.,

September 13, 1859.